

# **Digital Media Developers Group**

## **March 4, 2004 Meeting Notes**

### **Old Business:**

#### **ITAB Report - Kay Dinolfo**

- E-mail centralization – META Group gave recommendation back to ITAB. Groupwise and other non-standard users will migrate to the Microsoft Exchange Product within the next two years. Those on Outlook and other similar products will migrate within the next two or three years. Those on Lotus Notes will migrate within the next three to five years or longer. It was stated at ITAB during this discussion that Lotus Notes products are being phased out because of a lack of support.
- There will be another Missouri Digital Government Conference in June, 2004.
- Diane Golden is reviewing the State credit card vendor, Link to Gov, for accessibility issues.
- View Meeting Minutes online at <http://168.166.15.106/Query2.htm>

#### **Web Accessibility – Kevin Lanahan**

- Kevin has one more MOTEK class on March 22, there are no more this fiscal year.
- Kevin gave an update from the February 17 & 18 Assistive Technology Meeting. They are working on accessibility contract language according to Statute 191863. All custom-built application RFPs or PAQs have to include this language.

#### **DMD/Web Promo Conference – Kirk Keller**

- This subcommittee is searching for volunteers and promotional materials. They hope to have them “ironed out” by the March 31 ITAB meeting. There will be a Business Track, a Web Track and an Overview (Accessibility & Usability) Track. There will be two half-day conferences; all that is set for the morning will repeat in the afternoon.
- If you would like to volunteer feel free to e-mail Kirk at Missouri Dept. of Conservation.

### **New Business:**

- David Beard from O/A gave a presentation on implementing a Source Code Repository. Let your IT staff know about these options from the handout provided and give feedback to David or Rodney Distler with the Missouri Lottery.
- We voted on a new co-chairperson, Kevin Lanahan would fill the facilitator chair for the next two years. Kay Dinolfo has offered to stay as the other co-chairperson who serves as the ITAB liaison.

### **Agency Projects/Open Discussion:**

- Key mentioned she heard at the ITAB meeting there is a PAQ on a Calendaring System. She asked if anyone else knew about this, none mentioned.
- Google contacted Gerry Wethington on a Search function for the State's Web server.
- Lainie Martin with DESE mentioned they are implementing a Crystal Report project that is working well.
- Peggy Davis with the Attorney General's Office said they are beginning or updating their Intranet and ask if anyone who had experience with using Active Directory for this could give her a call.

Next monthly meeting is **April 1** from 1:30 p.m. until 3 p.m. in room 500 of the Harry S. Truman building.